

ALLISON'S SEAT GOV. CUMMINS' NEW AMBITION

Wilson, Allison's Friend
Gave the Governor
First Start.

Was Associated With All
of Governor's
Career.

The report that Governor Cummins, of Iowa, will be a candidate for United States Senator against Senator William B. Allison has recalled to people whose political memories cover two generations, that Senator Allison and Secretary Wilson have been closely associated for a great many years, that their larger public careers began practically together, and that Wilson was one of the most effective supporters of Allison at that time.

Further than this, Secretary Wilson has also been associated intimately with events at critical points in the career of Governor Cummins. For the larger political and business career of the present Governor may fairly be dated from the time when he was chosen as the counsel for the Iowa farmers' organizations in their great fight against the Barbed Wire trust. Mr. Wilson was a member and perhaps the dominating force in the committee which was named by the farmers' organizations to hunt up a lawyer who could not be corrupted by the money or influence of the trust, and who at the same time was smart enough to meet the best lawyers the trust could hire. This committee looked over a goodly list of lawyers and rejected ones for various reasons—some of which would be highly interesting if they should appear in print—and finally went to this young man "Cummins," who had been recommended to it.

Famous Barbed Wire Fight.

An interview resulted in engaging Cummins, and out of that interview developed the famous granger fight against the Barbed Wire trust. It may fairly be called the first just at trust-busting, and it came off under very different conditions than now prevail. Anti-trust laws and decisions were crude and uncertain, public policy was undefined, and the fight had to be made largely under the patent laws. Nevertheless it was won, and the barbed wire monopoly, which in that day was more hated throughout the West than all the gigantic trusts of today, was brought to an end.

Secretary Wilson always had a friendly feeling for Cummins because of the associations which began at that time, and last year when the great fight was made against Cummins, Wilson went out and stumped for him. Now it seems to be up to the Secretary to make a choice between the two, only that the impression of his friends that he will be very much out of the contest, if one develops.

Turning Out Allison.

A good deal has been said and written in Iowa recently about the unfairness of turning out a grand old man, with the honorable career of Allison. But friends of Senator Allison are little given to recalling the campaign of 1871-2, which ended in Harlan's retirement and Allison's election. Harlan was then to Iowa all that Allison is now, and, indeed, something more, for he was especially beloved as the friend of Lincoln. Nobody in Congress was more intimate with the war President, or more loyal to him. He was one of the strong Senators of the war epoch, being triumphantly re-elected for his second term in the same campaign which made Lincoln President. Not only that, but he was given a third election after he had resigned, at Lincoln's urgency, to go into the Cabinet. He did not belong with the Johnson administration, and naturally did not long remain with it. So he resigned and ran again for the Senate.

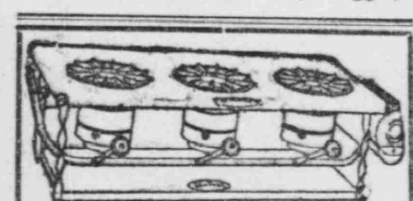
When the Legislature met, following the long preliminary contest, the two sides were staked out in Congress, and the speakership became the next prize in sight. James Wilson announced himself a candidate, and both sides undertook to line him up. He realized that he was running for speaker, not Senator, and that he would not line up with either. He was elected by a unanimous vote, and when the Senatorial came up cast his ballot for Allison.

Juggling of Figures.

More than twenty years afterward, Harlan, having been all these years living in quiet retirement at his old Iowa home, was brought out as a candidate for the nomination for governor. That was the contest of 1895, in which Drake was nominated. After the convention the story came out that on the critical ballot the secretaries had juggled the figures and had credited to Drake a largely increased strength, while failing to credit Harlan a story greater gain. This started the movement to Drake, and he was nominated on the next ballot. The story was vigorously denied for a long time, but in recent years has been accepted as rather too well known to justify denial. Drake was the candidate on whom the Congressional delegation—the "Federal crowd"—had settled long in advance. Harlan was the dangerous man, and, of course, the friends of Allison, with memories of the old fight of twenty-three years earlier, did not want Harlan to reappear as a great figure in the State. So he was put out of the way.

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CASABIANCA BROUGHT DOWN TO DATE



But He's Listening Hard to the Call of the Summer Girl

Bees Blockade Trains Upon Four Railroads by Swarming on a Switch

ST. LOUIS, Iowa, June 27.—A swarm of bees clustered on the handle of a major switch in the railroad yards here, and for half an hour tied up traffic on four railroads, and the Standard Oil Company, which had a train of tank cars stretched across the yards, was impotent.

Half a hundred trainmen and trainmasters and yardmasters galore stormed

and fretted, but the swarming bees buzzed merrily and clung to the switch handle.

A small boy in the gathering crowd took in the situation. "My pop can get them bees off'n there," he volunteered.

"Go get 'em," chorused the division superintendent and the yardmaster.

"Pop" came and deftly stuffed the bees into a washbowl and carried them home. Traffic was resumed.

Runaway's Brother a Mollycoddle, So Home Is No Place for Walter

ST. LOUIS, June 27.—Walter Pillers, of Sparta, Ill., who is in the city hospital here, suffering from a crushed foot, having been run over by a train at Waterloo, Ill., while on his way to St.

Louis, says that he ran away from home because his elder brother, Earl, was a "sissy boy" or "mollycoddle."

The lad says his brother was wont to perfume his hair and go down to the station to see the trains come in and he could not stand this.

He says he complained to his father about his brother and that the latter, in addressing his parent, called him "father." This was too much, he says, and he ran away.

NEW FIRE COMPANIES WITHOUT COMMANDERS

Commissioner Macfarland yesterday withheld his approval of the appointment of the corps of officers named by Chief Belt, of the District Fire Department, to man the two new fire companies, one a combination company at Washington Heights and the other a chemical company at Benning. The list of privates recommended for appointment to satisfy the most diverse musical tastes of a cosmopolitan audience.

The Commissioner says that, inasmuch as neither company will go into commission for a long time, it would seem unwise to promote these men as officers when there are no companies for them to command nor work to do.

CHEVY CHASE LAKE ATTRACTS THOUSANDS

Thousands find comfort and pleasure at Chevy Chase Lake these sultry evenings. The Marine Band is on hand every evening, rendering a concert calculated to satisfy the most diverse musical tastes of a cosmopolitan audience. Dancing fills the calendar after the concert, usually terminated at 9 o'clock, the spacious pavilion proving none too large for the throngs who desire to dance to the splendid Marine Band music.

Artistic illuminations add greatly to the attractiveness of Chevy Chase Lake.

Open an Account With Banking Dept. of Union Trust Co., 144 F. St., where your deposits will earn an income for you. Interest paid on all accounts. Deposits subject to check whenever desired.

S.S.S. A CERTAIN SAFE TREATMENT

Even if mercury and potash could cure Contagious Blood Poison the condition in which these strong minerals leave the system would make the "cure worse than the disease." But they cannot cure the vile disorder; they can only cover up the symptoms for awhile or mask the disease in the system, but as soon as the treatment is left off the hideous symptoms return. Mercury and potash eat out the delicate lining of the stomach and bowels, produce chronic dyspepsia by drying up the gastric juices, cause the teeth to decay, and often completely break down the constitution, and where they are used in large quantities, the bones become affected, while the disease for which one has so long taken this destructive treatment has not been cured. Contagious Blood Poison is a disease it will not do to trifle with. It is a vile, dangerous and destructive disorder. When the blood becomes infected with its virus the mouth and throat ulcerate, hair and eyebrows come out, glands in the neck and groin swell, copper-colored spots appear on the flesh, and in severe cases sores break out on the body, the finger nails drop off and the sufferer is diseased from head to foot. S. S. S. is the only known antidote for Contagious Blood Poison—the one remedy that is able to get to the root of the disease and force out every particle of the poison so that there are never any signs of its return. It is purely vegetable, made entirely from roots, herbs and barks of known curative value. Instead of leaving bad after-effects as some medicines do, S. S. S. tones up every part of the system and puts every part of the body in perfect health. It will also remove any lingering effects of former mineral treatment while eradicating the poison from the circulation. Special book on the home treatment of this disease and any medical advice desired furnished free to all who write.

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SILVER CUP PRIZE FOR BEST HOPS

Brewery Stimulates Growing by Irrigation Methods.

The Interstate Exposition of Irrigated Land Products and Forest Products, to be held at Sacramento, Cal., next September, is expected to show the wonderful progress that has been made in developing lands hitherto unproductive for agricultural purposes.

Immense tracts of hitherto waste lands that have been reclaimed by modern irrigation methods, have materially added to the resources of the country, and large interests have been quick to see the possibilities of these irrigated lands in producing an exceptionally fine quality of various products.

The Pabst Brewing Company of Milwaukee was among the first to appreciate the possibilities of irrigating lands for the raising of the finest quality of hops. To stimulate the hop growers to make every effort to produce hops of the quality and flavor that will brew such a beer as Pabst Blue Ribbon, Col. Gustave Pabst has offered a \$500 silver cup for the finest exhibit of irrigation grown hops, to be made at the forthcoming exposition.

The board of control have already arranged for some fifteen trophies ranging in price from \$300 to \$500, and these prizes will make this exposition one of the most successful that has ever been known.

The Pabst Blue Ribbon Cup will be designed by Messrs. Shreve & Co., the well-known silversmiths of San Francisco.

The Interstate Exposition will continue until September 14.

STEAMERS TO JAMESTOWN CROWDED EVERY DAY

To "take in" the National Capital seems to be the aim of almost all visitors to the Jamestown Exposition, if one may judge from the crowded condition of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company's boats arriving at and sailing from this city. These steamers, with their spacious cabins and comfortably appointed staterooms, maintain double daily service to Jamestown and Norfolk, sailing hours being at 8 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. This enables tourists to choose either alternative—a sail by night or by day. Offices are located at Seventh street wharf and at 745 Fourteenth street.

\$1.00 Frederick, Keedysville (Antietam) Hagerstown, and return. Leave Baltimore & Ohio station, Washington 8:30 a. m., Sunday, June 30th. Plenty of room for everyone, and a magnificent opportunity to spend a delightful day in the country at small expense.

SERVICE EXAMINATIONS DURING MONTH OF JULY

Civil service examinations will be held on July 17 for the purpose of filling vacancies in the office of the Coast and Geodetic Survey at a salary of \$720 a year.

On July 24 and 25 examinations will be held for the position of heating and ventilating draftsman, in the Supervising Architect's office, at a salary of \$1,200 a year.

An examination will be held on July 31 to fill a vacancy in the position of typewriter repairer in the Postoffice Department at a salary of \$300 a year.

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China Closets

\$18 Golden Oak China Closets \$12.98

Made of selected golden oak; have bent glass ends; Glass doors; three shelves with hooks; French legs, carved claw feet, and are highly polished.

Fine \$38 China Closet \$28.39

Handsomely made quartered oak china closets; have massive pillars; bent glass doors and ends; three large shelves; French legs, and are finely polished.

Chiffoniers

Fine \$22 Quartered Oak Chiffoniers \$16.39

Made of finely figured quartered oak; have French plate glass mirrors; serpentine swell front; five large drawers; brass trimmings; French legs; and are nicely polished.

\$6 Solid Oak Chiffoniers \$4.48

Made of selected golden oak, have carved tops; five deep drawers; brass trimmings, and are nicely polished.

American Taffeta Parasols

for sun or rain—all colors—hemstitched borders—gilt tips. A special at \$1.00

Union Taffeta and All Silk Sun Shades—all colors. A special at \$1.50 and \$1.75.

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Use "My Dentist" Tooth Brush. A good quality Tooth Brush, correct shape, irregular bristles. The best money can buy. Price only 25c.

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GROCERS ENTERTAIN FRIENDS ON OUTING

Fully 2,000 persons attended the fifth annual excursion of the Retail Grocers' Association to River View yesterday, and enjoyed the unusually attractive musical and athletic program prepared by the provision providers. Dancing by Miss Cora Shreve's pupils, a tug-of-war between twelve grocers, pie-eating contests, and other events kept the crowd happy during the afternoon. An all-day bowl contest, for three prizes of \$15, \$10, and \$5, resulted in J. H. Morrison, G. H. Laleger, and Joseph Frank being declared the winners.

SECRETARY STRAUS GOING ON LONG INSPECTION TOUR

Secretary of Commerce and Labor Straus, with Mrs. Straus and his private secretary, T. L. Weed, will leave Washington Saturday for Montreal to begin a two months' inspection tour of the immigration stations of the country and Honolulu. He will return from the Pacific by way of the Mexican border and stop at Galveston, New Orleans, and Charleston to inspect the sites for the new stations in those cities.

\$10.00 Niagara Falls Excursion, June 28, Baltimore & Ohio. Special train Standard Coaches and Parlor Cars, leaving Washington 7:45 a. m., running via Philadelphia and picturesque Lehigh Valley. Liberal stopovers returning. Tickets good ten days. Attractive side trips from Niagara Falls.

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REMNANTS TOMORROW

Lots of good things. Don't miss any

Several things that are unusually good in mill-ends for tomorrow

THIRD FLOOR--REMNANT SECTION

To quality PRINTED BATISTE in large assortment of styles at yard, 37c

12 1/2 quality WHITE MADRAS in small woven figures, checks and stripes at yard, 8 3/4c

2c quality FRENCH LAWN. All white, very sheer, unusually good bargain at a yard, 15c

15 quality CORDED MADRAS—figured, 35 inches wide, light grounds, neat printed patterns at yard, 10 3/4c

2c quality INDIA LINOON, white, 46 inches wide, at yard, 12 1/2c

13 1/2c and 15c grades PRINTED BATISTE. Big line of styles, light and medium grounds, stripes, dots, small figures, floral designs, at yard, 7 1/2c

10c quality PERSIAN LAWN, white; 28 in. wide; nice and sheer, at a yard, 6 1/2c

Mostly in the pin dot style and the dots woven and will not come out at a yard, 11 1/2c

10c quality CRETONNE, DRAPEY. Twilled weave, large line of desirable patterns and colors, at a yard, 6 1/2c

Suits, coats, and skirts odd lots---all big bargains

Splendid chances for economical buying among the remnants in our Ready-to-Wear Section tomorrow. Garments that women will find use for the year around are marked ridiculously low:

100 COAT SUITS in eon, pony, and half fitted styles; choice of plain materials and necks, styles in light colorings; also plain black effects. Full kilted skirts, tailored or trimmed styles. All sizes in the lot, but not in one style. Worth \$25.00 to \$60.00. Choice tomorrow at two prices--

\$10.95 and \$18.95

Rain Coats of tan cravenetted cloth; full length; loose back; double breasted; cut extra full. Sizes 38, 40, and 42. Reduced from \$15 to \$6.75

15 Cravenetted Coats, plain and invisible plaid effects; half fitted or loose back; choice of tan or gray. Good coats for automobile, as well as rain. Worth \$19.75 and \$25. Choice tomorrow--\$10.95

Dress Skirts, in light mixtures and stripes; also black and navy blue, serges and chevrons; full kilted style. Worth \$5 to \$7.50. Choice.....\$3.95

Second floor--S. Kann, Sons & Co.

Umbrellas and parasols

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S UMBRELLAS, with covers of American taffeta or English mercerized gloria; paragon frames and steel rods; fancy or plain wood handles. Umbrellas with 25c and 49c CHOICE TOMORROW.

5 ALL SILK TAFFETA AND LINEN PARASOLS, embroidered; both styles in coaching effect. These parasols are sold at a trifle, but can be made new by use of gasoline. Worth \$3.00. Choice tomorrow.

First floor--S. Kann, Sons & Co.

Short ends of RIBBONS

Mean "short" prices

Every width included in the remnant sale of ribbons tomorrow from the narrow beading to that used for making girdles or sashes.

1-2 in. SATIN RIBBONS, goodly range of colors, yard, 1c

3-4 in. RIBBONS, including plain and satin taffetas, in pretty shades, yd 13c

4-6 in. RIBBONS, including plain and satin taffetas, faille-ettes, and messallines, in all the pretty shades, a yard, 18c

Only 1st floor--bargain tables.

Neckwear

Odd lots

Small lots of Neckwear that we close out to clear our stock. To quote real low prices to do so: WASHABLE ASCOTS, solid, but will wash clean; regular 25c and 30c kinds, 11c

BLACK SILK SUSPENDERS that produce the jumper effect so much in vogue when attached to a skirt, black, blue, or brown. Reduced from 25c to 15c

NARROW SILK OR WASHABLE PLEATING, all white, or white combined with colors; also Clifton Neck Ruching, in white, light blue, pink, and black. Worth 15c and 16c a yard or more. 5c

1st floor--S. Kann, Sons & Co.

Silks

15c to 50c a yd.

Worth 2 and 3 times that

In this sale are to be found more full dress patterns than in any held for months, as well as many other smaller remnant lengths. We are anxious to clear up all the odd lengths and have them out of our way as quickly as possible, and have made reductions that should make them go.

In the lot are plain pongees and summer silks, dozens of waist patterns in best quality foulards, and other silks, all the most desirable and prevailing styles. Everything reduced 50c a yard or under, and many as low as 15c and 16c a yard, for silks worth two and in some cases three times as much.

Silk Department--First Floor.

Stoop mats, 3c

Will they go around?

We doubt very much if women who put off until noon to buy these mats will find any left. Of course they are the biggest kind of a bargain at 3c. They are nice for use on the porch, and to take in and out. As long as they last tomorrow, 3c.

CHINA MATTINGS, lengths 1 to 10 yards; many patterns; 15c and 16c yard grade; choice at yard, 10c

PURE LINEN STRAIT DRILL, 1 to 7 yards in piece and 12 to 20 inches wide. A 12 1/2c

WINDOW SCREENS, all sizes, damaged. They are odds and ends, to be closed out tomorrow at each, 12 1/2c

HEAVY CHINA MATTING RUGS; 6 only; size 4 by 7 feet. Reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.00

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Women's lace trimmed Swiss handkerchiefs, each, 3c

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LACE TRIMMED Swiss Handkerchiefs, with lace corners; some with lace and embroidery corners, and just think--on bargain tables, first floor, at the special price, each, 3c.